

**WELCOME TO  
THE ELMIRA SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH  
813 Maple Avenue  
Elmira, New York 14904**

***THE CHURCH AT STUDY***  
September 14, 2019 9:30–10:45 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss Jr.
Mission Story	Alvin Jackson
Lesson Study	“Living the Advent Hope”
Teacher	Virginia Miller

***TODAY’S PROGRAM***

Elder in Charge	Elios Pierre
Deacon in Charge	Donald Cratsley
Pianist	Sharon Reynolds
Organist	Brittany Miller
Greeter	Robert Cau
Sunset tonight:	7:18 PM

***SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK***

Elder in Charge	Elios Pierre
Deacon in Charge	Donald Cratsley
Greeter	Cynthia Taft
Offering	Local Church Budget
Sunset Next Friday	7:08 PM



*Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable,  
always abounding in the work of the Lord,  
forasmuch as ye know  
that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.  
I Corinthians 15:58*

***THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP***  
September 14, 2019 10:50 AM

Song Service	Luke Moss Jr.
Announcements	Elios Pierre

***PRELUDE***

Scripture Meditation	2 Peter 3:9	Valeria Coure
Chimes		Organist
Introit	“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” (refrain only)	#290
Invocation		Earle Stewart

***DEDICATION AND PREPARATION OF HEART***

Opening Hymn		#299
	“Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”	
Pastoral Prayer		Elios Pierre
Response		Organist

***DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS***

Tithes & Offerings		Megan McCann
	Local Church Budget	
Offertory		Organist

***MINISTRATION OF THE WORD***

Children’s Story		Martha Jackson
Scripture Reading	Acts 2:29-39	Sharon Reynolds
Sermon		Elder Waren Muir
	“Repentance, Forgiveness, & Baptism”	
Baptism		Alphanso Barriffe

***BENEDICTION***

Closing Hymn		#477
	“Come, Ye Disconsolate”	
Benediction		Elder Muir
Response		Organist
Postlude		Organist

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to the pulpit to Elder Waren Muir, who will be bringing us today's sermon.

Baptism – We are happy today that Alphonso Barriffe has made his decision for Christ and will be baptized today.

Transfer of Membership (First Reading) – Kevin Wahl from the Elmira Church to the Brocton SDA Church, in Brocton, NY.

Soup & Sandwich Luncheon – today following the worship service. Everyone is invited.

Bible Study – resumes this Tuesday, 7:00 PM. We will be studying the book of Daniel.

Afternoon Study – next Sabbath following the worship service. The first, third, and fifth Sabbaths of the month, we are studying “Last Day Events.” This is taught by Elios Pierre.

Prayer and Fasting – Bernadette Roes is a member of the Natural Bridge SDA Church. She and her husband Luke have four precious children. Bernadette was in a car accident December 28, 2017 and has remained in a coma/vegetative state. Doctors are saying she will never wake up. She is being cared for at home. We are asking for everyone who is willing and able to participate in a day of prayer and fasting for Sister Bernadette, September 25, 2019. Our God is able to do the impossible with the humble prayer of faith. Thank you all for your participation.

Newsletter Deadline – September 20. Please contact Sharon Reynolds with any news items, 732-9629.

Fall Work Bee – Sunday, September 22, 10:00 AM– 3:00 PM. All who are able, please come help.

Adventist Youth – AY is planned for the fourth Sabbath of each month. This is a ministry of the youth and children for the whole church family.

Cooking Class – Sunday, September 29, 1:00 – 4:00 PM. Khieanne Dawson, Integrative Nutrition Health Coach will be our presenter. Come and invite your friends.

## CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

“To seek and to save the lost by uplifting Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord, inviting people into God's family, and promoting gospel order and discipleship in an atmosphere of peace, love, and unity.”

## CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY September 14	Speaker–Elder Waren Muir Soup & Sandwich Luncheon
Tuesday September 17	Bible Study, 7:00 PM.
Next Sabbath	Speaker–Elios Pierre Spirit of Prophecy Study

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Church Website  
Church Phone  
Bulletin

elmirasda.com  
734-1560

**By Wednesday, 8:00 PM**

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*There the redeemed greet those who led them to the Saviour,  
and all unite in praising Him who died  
that human beings might have the life  
that measures with the life of God.  
The conflict is over.  
Tribulation and strife are at an end.  
Songs of victory fill all heaven  
as the ransomed ones take up the joyful strain,  
Worthy, worthy is the Lamb that was slain,  
and lives again, a triumphant conqueror.  
Acts of the Apostles, p, 602*